

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): AIZAWA et al.

Atty. Dkt.: 14-017

Serial No.: Unknown

Group Art Unit:

Filed: Concurrently herewith

Examiner:

Title: AUTOMATIC BRAKE DEVICE  
FOR CONTROLLING MOVEMENT  
OF VEHICLE IN DIRECTION  
OPPOSITE TO INTENDED  
DIRECTION OF MOVEMENT OF  
DRIVER

Commissioner for Patents  
Arlington, VA 22202

Date: July 28, 2003

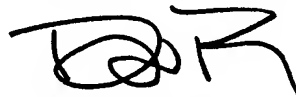
**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56, the reference(s) listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 is/are being submitted for consideration by the Examiner without any admission that it/they constitute(s) statutory prior art, or without any admission that it/they contain(s) subject matter that anticipates the invention or renders the invention obvious to a person of ordinary skill in the art.

The Examiner is requested to initial the attached PTO Form-1449 and to return a copy of same to the undersigned attorney as proof that the listed reference(s) has/have been considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,



David G. Posz  
Reg. No. 37,701

Posz & Bethards, PLC  
11250 Roger Bacon Drive, Suite 10  
Reston, VA 20190  
(703)707-9110 (phone)  
Customer No. 23400

FORM PTO-1449	ATTY. DKT NO.	14-017	SER. NO.
	APPLICANT	AIZAWA et al.	
	FILING DATE	July 28, 2003	GROUP

## REFERENCE DESIGNATION

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS
		6,253,144	Jun. 26, 2001	Yamamura et al.		

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

## TRANSLATION

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	YES	NO
		JP-A-06-264783 (Discussed in pages 1 of the spec.)	9/20/94	Japan				X (Abstract)	
		JP-A-07-125622	05/16/95	Japan				X (Abstract)	
		JP-A-10-016745	01/20/98	Japan				X (Abstract)	
		JP-A-08-324397	12/10/96	Japan				X (Abstract)	

\* Full English text of the JP Document will be available in machine-translated form from JP (Japanese Patent Office) English language web site at <http://www1.ipdl.jpo.go.jp/PA1/cgi-bin/PA1INDEX>.

## OTHER REFERENCES (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

EXAMINER		DATE CONSIDERED